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THE Evening Post makes the following pertinent comments on the election in Oregon:

Mr. Cleveland will have some difficulty in extracting comfort from the returns from Oregon. The Webfoot State is the first State to give its answer to the free trade, free wool appeal of the President, and Mr. Cleveland fully appreciated its importance. No effort has been spared by the administration or the Democracy to carry the State. Federal offices were filled with active workers. Federal officers from other States were sent to influence the electors. At the personal request of the President, John P. Irish went to the assistance of the Oregon Democrats, and Smith M. Weed, Mr. Cleveland's astute political friend from New York, went thither to direct the campaign according to the most advanced methods.

The result is one to astonish the President. Oregon gives the largest majority for the Republican ticket that has ever been known in the State. The largest majority Oregon ever gave was that for Grant in 1872, when he received 3,527 over the combined opposition, while his plurality was 4,075. In 1878 Hayes had a plurality of 1,050; in 1880 Garfield one of 671; in 1884, Blaine one 2,257. In 1886 the Democrats elected a Supreme Judge by a plurality of 234; and the Republicans elected Hermann by a plurality of 1,635. The reported majority of 5,000 for the Republican ticket in Monday's election has, therefore, a significance that can be observed by the blindest Democrat that ever swallowed a free trade message.

The force of the figures cannot be appreciated as a similar victory would be in a more populous State. Oregon casts but some 55,000 votes. A 5,000 majority in Oregon is equal to a 100,000 majority in New York. There are but two reasons for this overwhelming victory of the Republicans, and those are the jealousy of administration interference in a State election, and the free trade views of the Democracy. Mr. Cleveland has not taken the lesson of his own election as Governor of New York to heart. It was the interference of President Arthur in the New York politics that elected Mr. Cleveland by the overwhelming majority that forced him on the last Democratic convention.

But the Republican victory is due mainly to the issue between free trade and protection. Oregon, like the rest of the Pacific Coast, depends largely for its prosperity on protection. The one item of the tariff on wool involves the interests of millions of dollars in the State. The line was sharply drawn in the contest, and the result means that the free trade policy is rejected.

Mr. Cleveland may see in this a warning of what is to come throughout the country. A large majority of the people understand that their property depends on the protective policy. They will not vote against this policy, except in States that consider that the name Democracy is above any question of financial or moral policy.

Mr. Cleveland might well wish to withdraw from his policy. But it is too late. He must go the road he has marked out for himself. He cannot falter or turn back. No ingenuity of a double-faced platform can save him. He is himself a free trade platform, and the battle must be fought on that issue. What the result will be can be seen from Oregon.

The question of tariff on wool was the cause of the Republican victory in Oregon, which is the first straw that looks toward the defeat of Cleveland in November next. Taking west of the Rocky Mountains and south of Oregon, the wool interest will play a certain part in the political fight, but it will not stand so nearly alone as it did in Oregon. Each of the other coast States has other interests to which Cleveland has ever proclaimed himself the open enemy. All of them are more or less silver producing. From Cleveland's letter of acceptance down to the present time there is no mistaking his views as to this great mining industry, and his influence upon the price of silver bullion. Not only this but his free trade views have had a tendency to will wrinkle the embryonic manufacturing interests of the west. As the population increases new industries naturally spring up, and the work of providing supplies from skilled and other labor has been fairly commenced in various parts of our

growing coast States. If we should unfortunately be compelled to compete with Asiatic labor, these industries have reached their greatness. The voice of Oregon is the voice of the west which will be heard at the coming election.

THE Democracy cared so little for the National platform they were to adopt at St. Louis that the nomination for Vice-President had to be postponed until the formulation and adoption of the platform, as it was thought, impossible to hold the members of the convention together after the nomination of the candidate for President.

CLEVELAND is the great vetoer. This session of Congress he is making himself almost as noted as a vetoer of appropriations for public buildings, as he did last session as a vetoer of pension bills.

A DISGUSTED Reno Democrat said, yesterday, that the reason Oregon went Republican was because they voted thousands of sheep there.

THE SECOND DAY.

Thurman Nominated for Vice President.

Red Hot Speeches and Bandanas.

Liberal Policy Toward Territories Asking for Admission—Etc.

Special Dispatches to the Gazette.
St. Louis, June 7.—The convention was called to order at 10:30 this morning.

The invocation was delivered by Dr. Frank of St. Louis. Henry Watterson took the platform with the report of the committee on resolutions.

The preamble indorsed Cleveland's message. Scott of Pennsylvania presented from the committee a resolution indorsing and recommending an early passage of the Mills bill. The resolution was passed.

Lehman of Iowa, from the committee presented a resolution indorsing a liberal policy towards the Territories, recommending the admission of Washington, Montana, Dakota and New Mexico, which was carried.

The platform was received with enthusiasm and adopted unanimously amid cheers. The roll call began for the nomination of a Vice President. Tarpey of California took the platform to nominate Thurman.

Governor Green of New Jersey, W. Durey of Nevada and George C. Sainez of New York seconded the nomination of Thurman.

North Carolina, Ohio, South Carolina and Tennessee seconded the nomination of Thurman. J. W. Throckmorton of Texas seconded the nomination of Thurman, and Senator Dandridge of Virginia seconded Thurman's nomination.

Alabama cast fifteen votes for Thurman, four for Gray and Black. When Iowa was called she asked to be passed. Magnus of Montana seconded the nomination of Thurman. The roll call was completed. The clerk calls the names of Thurman, Gray and Black as nominees—voting on Vice President began. Thurman was nominated at 1:40 P. M. Cheers followed. The roll call proceeded. On the first ballot Thurman had 712 votes. On motion Thurman's nomination was made unanimous.

The roll was called to name the members of the National Committee. The meeting of National Committee and committee on notification was fixed for 4 P. M.

The convention then adjourned sine die.

He Telephoned Frances.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—The President passed the day very quietly at the White House. In the afternoon he went out to Oakview. There was no incident or significance of special note connected with the news of his renomination. He came to the White House from his suburban home about 9:30 A. M., and was immediately shown the bulletin from Sherman's physicians. He spent the morning quietly and received no news from the Convention except press bulletins, and few of these. He was alone when the bulletin announcing his renomination was received. Lamont took the dispatch in to him and the President expressed his gratification. The news was at once telephoned to Mrs. Cleveland. The President then resumed work, and at 4:40 left the White House for Oakview, where he will spend the night. Many congratulatory telegrams were received. Col. Lamont said that the President had received no communication regarding the platform from anyone. The platform was in the hands of the Democratic managers, and the President was probably the last person Senator Gorman saw before he left for St. Louis.

He Still Clings to His Idol.

PORTLAND, June 7.—John M. Geary the Democratic candidate for Congress said today in answer to a question: "I attribute my defeat principally to the platform adopted by the State Convention. Still I think we are in the right. I believe in and indorse, and shall always uphold the platform on which I was nominated. The result of the election shows that Oregon doesn't want free trade."

A TERRIBLE FIRE.

It Burns 400 Houses and Makes 2,500 People Homeless.
OTTAWA, Ont., June 6.—A fire in Hull, near here, last evening destroyed between three and four hundred buildings and rendered 2,500 people homeless. The fire broke out in the City Hall, in the center of the city, and a strong wind caused it to spread rapidly. The houses were all frame shanties and burned like tinder. They were occupied by the poor classes, mostly millmen, and in many instances the inmates had hard work to escape with their lives. The fire department was unable to do anything to stay the progress of the flames, and it simply burned itself out. The loss will be about \$750,000, with very little insurance.

He Battles for Life.

WASHINGTON, June 7.—The following bulletin was issued yesterday at 2:10 P. M.: "General Sheridan passed a quiet and restful morning. At this hour the favorable indications continue. Pulse, 104; respiration, 28 and regular; secretions abundant; mind clear and sleep natural."

At 7 o'clock General Sheridan was reported as having passed a comfortable afternoon. No new complications or unfavorable symptoms appeared. General Sheridan was resting quietly at 11 o'clock to-night, and friends and family express more sanguine hopes than at any time since his first attack.

On Their Trail.

SACRAMENTO, June 7.—The officers are following upon an important clue to the murder of John Lowell, whose body was found in a cellar on his ranch in El Dorado county, seven miles from Polson, last Saturday. It is known that three men, who visited the ranch in March, took away the horses on the night of April 1, passing over the wire bridge. The horses were sold at auction in this city and have been identified by William Lowell and others. The arrest of the murderers will be made today.

Sheridan's Condition.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—A bulletin issued at nine o'clock this morning says General Sheridan passed a most comfortable night, without recurrence of any alarming symptoms. At present his general condition is better than at any time since the last bulletin was issued.

More Money Wanted.

SARATOGA, June 7.—At the sixty-second anniversary of the American Home Missionary Society at Saratoga, Secretary B. Clary urged that at least \$648,000 be raised for the coming year—an advance of \$100,000 over last year.

Pensioning Prisoners.

WASHINGTON, June 6.—Senator Quay has been authorized to report favorably a bill granting pensions to soldiers and sailors who were confined in Confederate prisons.

TELEGRAPHIC BRIEVITIES.

—President Cleveland's mother-in-law will start for home from Paris next week.

—The Auburn 8-year-old boy burglar and his mother and sister have been held for trial.

—Hugh M. Brooks, alias Maxwell, the St. Louis murderer, will be hanged the 23d of August.

—The Supreme Court of Illinois is Republican for the first time in the history of the State.

—It is said that within the past few days Dewey has decided to enter the contest for the Republican Presidential nomination.

—None of the China lines have cut rates on the steamer passage from Hongkong to San Francisco, despite the sweeping reductions made to Chinese outward bound.

—In order to assist local authorities in the maintenance of quarantine against the introduction of infectious diseases, the President has determined to establish, by means of a vessel of the revenue marine, a national patrol of the coast of the United States.

—Last Monday Miss Lizzie Waugh, a country girl of 17, was brutally outraged near Winters, California, by two men who bound her hand and foot and gagged her. When found she was unconscious. A strong posse is in pursuit. A thousand dollar reward is offered for the fugitives.

—Mr. H. Weinstein, of Sacramento, representing the California Fruit Union, says the newly presented scheme of selling fruit by public auction, instead of by private sale through the commission house, as at present, is meeting with great favor among all prominent Chicago dealers.

—James G. Blaine, Jr., says the robbery of his father's house at Augusta, where Mr. Blaine's business and political correspondence was made a special object of the marauders, occurred some three years ago. The tardiness with which the news has reached the public is remarkable.

—Chris. L. Magee, the Republican leader in western Pennsylvania, and a delegate to Chicago, is firmly convinced that Sherman is the strongest candidate for the Chicago Convention to place before the people. He will go into the convention with the largest number of votes at his back, but his nomination is by no means assured.

—Nearly a hundred colored Democrats from more than a dozen States met chiefly from the North, held a meeting at St. Louis yesterday afternoon and organized a Negro National Democratic League. Resolutions were adopted indorsing the administration of President Cleveland, and the League adjourned to meet in Chicago at the call of the convention.

MARRIED.

HENSON—MALTBY. At the Depot Hotel, Reno, June 6, by Rev. O. L. Fisher, Charles George Henson to Mrs. Ida Ann Maltby, both of Reno.

DIED.

SHERLEY—In Reno, Nevada, June 7, Lila Urnie, infant daughter of James and Addie Sherley, of Wadsworth, aged 12 months and 23 days.

NEW TO-DAY.

\$15,000. \$15,000.

NINTH ANNUAL FAIR

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BASE BALL GAME

Free to all Clubs of the District; Purses, \$300. Under management of Competing Clubs. Entrance, 10 per cent of purse.

SPEED PROGRAMME.

Money in all races to be divided as follows: First Horse, 60 per cent; second, 30 per cent; third, 10 per cent, unless when otherwise specified. All races free for all unless otherwise designated.

FIRST DAY.
1. TROTTING—3 minute class, 3 in 5; purse, \$300. District.
2. TROTTING—4-year-old colts race, 3 in 5; purse, \$300. District.
3. RUNNING—3-year-olds and under; mile dash. Purses, \$250.
4. RUNNING—3-year-olds and under; mile dash. Purses, \$250. District.

SECOND DAY.
5. TROTTING—2:30 class, 3 in 5; purse, \$300.
6. TROTTING—3/4 mile dash and repeat, one-year-olds; purse, \$300. District.
7. RUNNING—mile heats, 3 in 3; purse, \$300.
8. RUNNING—1/2 mile dash; purse \$300.
9. RUNNING—Indian pony race, 1/2 mile dash; Indians to ride; purse, \$10; no entrance fee.

THIRD DAY.
10. PACING AND TROTTING—2:25 class, 3 in 5; purse, \$300.
11. TROTTING—2:40 class, 3 in 5; purse, \$300.
12. RUNNING—3/4 mile dash; purse, \$250.
13. RUNNING—1/2 mile dash; purse, \$300.
14. RUNNING—1 mile dash; purse, \$300.

FOURTH DAY.
15. TROTTING—2:30 class, 3 in 5; purse, \$300. District.
16. TROTTING—Free for all, 3 in 5; purse, \$300.
17. RUNNING—3/4 mile dash; purse, \$200. District.
18. RUNNING—1/2 mile dash; purse, \$300.
19. TROTTING—Bumble teams (District) in 5 and repeat. Untrained teams must pull buggy, owner to drive. Entrance to close at 9 o'clock evening before race; purse \$150.

FIFTH DAY.
20. PACING—3 in 5, free for all; par \$300.
21. TROTTING—Single buggy (District), 2 in 5, owner to drive; purse \$100. Entries close at 9 P. M. 2 day before race. Trained horses barred.
22. RUNNING—Two miles and repeat; purse, \$300.
23. Ochs-lotion per se.
24. G.U.A.—Y.U.P.—E.A.—To make nearest time to 4:30. Entries to close at time of race; purse, \$100.

Races will begin each day at 1 o'clock P. M., sharp.
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PLATFORM AND RESOLUTIONS

The following platform and resolutions were adopted by the Republican State Convention, which convened at Winnemucca on the 15th instant:

The Republicans of the State of Nevada, in Convention assembled, again express their loyalty to the principles of the Republican party, which have made this country so great and prosperous during the last quarter of a century.

Resolved, That the question of a permanent supply of circulating medium to maintain a permanent range of the price of labor and property is the most important political question awaiting solution by the American people.

That the unrelenting quantity of money reduces the price of labor and property, enriches the creditor, impoverishes the debtor, and paralyzes industry and enterprise.

That the present financial system of the United States, which increases or diminishes the circulating medium at the pleasure of the manipulators of the national banks, without regard to the interests of population or the wants of the people, and which recognizes gold alone as the standard of value, and places in the hands of the Treasury Department all the revenue of the Government to speculate with in bonds and loan to the national banks without interest, is subversive of the rights of the people, oppressive, unjust and should be repudiated.

That a financial policy whereby both gold and silver shall form the basis of circulation, whether the money used be gold or coin, or coin certificates redeemable in coin, or both, as convenience may require, is imperatively demanded.

That the attempt to substitute national bank notes, costing the Government millions of dollars annually, for silver, costing nothing, is an outrage upon the people; that the money ring or trust, which has usurped the sovereign power of the Government to issue money, and which has fraudulently demonetized silver and seized the revenues of the Government for private speculation, shocks the moral sense of the people and destroys respect for government and law. We demand that the trust be destroyed, and equal rights be restored to all the people.

We charge that President Cleveland is the willing tool or agent of a powerful money ring, which fattens on the industries of the Government, makes

TUESDAY, JUNE 7, 1938

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Having revised the mail list of the WEEKLY GAZETTE and STOCK MARKET errors of omission may have occurred. Any subscriber who does not receive his paper will please notify this office so the error can be rectified. Subscribers are also notified that the date of the expiration of their subscription is to be found on the wrapper.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS

Agricultural Experiment Station,
for June 6:

	7 A.M.	2 P.M.	9 P.M.
Temperature.....	53.7	64.7	42.9
Dew point.....	30.7	31.3	31.2
Relative humidity.....	41.7	36.5	62.7

* In degrees. † Per cent.
Mean temperature..... 48.6
Mean relative humidity (per cent.)..... 43.6
Maximum temperature..... 64.7
Minimum temperature..... 42.9
Range of temperature..... 21.8
State of weather..... fair
Prevailing winds..... fair
Total rainfall (inches)..... .00

United States Signal Service weather prediction for tomorrow: Generally fair weather; warmer.
W. McN. MILLER, Observer.

Yesterday's Stock Board.

1500 Ophir, 5 1/2	470 Mexican, 2 3/8	490 Gould & Curry, 2 3/8	490 Best & Belcher, 3 10/32	280 Con Va, 9 1/8	370 Savage, 3 1/2	250 Chollar, 3 20/32	525 Potosi, 2 55/32	290 Hale & Norcross, 6 1/2	250 Point, 3 85/32	500 Jact, 3 70/32	1400 Imperial, 300	250 Alpha, 1 35/32	40 Belcher, 3 3/4	140 Confidence, 18	300 S Nevada, 2 85/32	450 Utah Con, 1 15/32	250 Bullion, 950	450 Eschschuer, 85, 800	250 S Belcher, 2 05/32	330 Overman, 1 20, 1 1/2	50 Justice, 550	50 Union Con, 2 1/2	250 Alta, 30, 750	200 Julia, 300	500 California, 300	200 S Hill, 45, 400	500 Challenge, 700	250 L Washington, 300	600 Andes, 950	150 Scorpion, 500	400 Baltimore, 700	200 West Comstock, 65, 700	100 Jackson, 850	400 Prize, 2	200 Navajo, 1 95, 1 90	100 N. B. Island, 2 85/32	50 Queen, 3 1/4	380 Del Monte, 1 1/2	80 Bodie, 2 20	100 Bulwer, 700	50 Mono, 1 20	100 Peer, 700	375 Peerless, 2 05	100 Weldon, 550
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JOTTINGS.

Billheads, etc., at the GAZETTE job office.
High rent—a hole in the top of your hat.
The sale of seats for "Ramona" still continues lively.
Vein expectations—prospecting for gold.
Spanish buggies, pacific or piano box, side bar or end spring, at J. T. Longbaugh's Reno, Nev.
Champagne documents—yellow labels.
Matured Thistle Dew whiskey for medicinal purposes in quantities to suit at W. Pinner's drug store.
The cheery man is one of metal—usually brass.
Buy your stationery, blank and school books at C. J. Brookins', where also is to be had Tansill's Punch cigar.
It is claimed by old hunters that a rabbit trail is merely a hare line.
"All's well that ends well," as the man said when the leech was removed from his blackened eye.
Another invoice of those choice little mountain trout at Coffin & Larcombe's to-morrow. They have also just received a fine assortment of candies, prize gum, etc.
If writing is indicative of character some people's characters must be mighty hard to make out.
Just the gifts for your gentlemen friends—embroidered suspenders, hat crowns, handkerchiefs, tobacco pouches and ash trays at Miss Gibbs', Virginia street.
An old bachelor says that a small boy is like a woman, because he is always making somebody miserable whenever he gets a chance.
Go to C. A. Thurston's for lady's satchels, ink stands, albums, of all kinds, pocket books, purses of all kinds and a great variety of portfolios and lady's lap desks.
The closing exercises of the public school will be on the 13th, 14th and 15th instants. After next week the streets will be thronged with children who will enjoy a vacation.
The New York illustrations, the New York illustrated papers, at Thurston's. A fine stock of ladies' purses in various late styles; as well as pocket cutlery.
A Mrs. Beasley of Philadelphia has invented a machine that will hoop 1,700 barrels a day. Why not engage this ingenious lady to hoop up the stock market?
Everyone speaks in high terms of the meals furnished at the Depot Hotel. Overland travelers say it is the best hotel between the Missouri river and San Francisco.
To save your teeth—Pull them out and pack them in cotton and carry them in your pocket.
In leap year it is nothing strange to read of female lawyers going courting.
At about noon time every day Jake Becker's saloon is crowded with people who don't have time to go home to lunch. They get a schooner of Windland beer on draught and a hot lunch for 12 1/2 cents.

Another Wedding.
Last night at about 8 o'clock Justice Young was called upon for the second time to join in wedlock another happy pair, the contracting parties being C. E. Flanagan and Mrs. Chas. Malby, nee Miss Ida Coats, daughter of the veteran miller, M. J. Coats. The GAZETTE wishes them the best of luck and much happiness through the vicissitudes of married life.

Malaria poisons contain the germs of dangerous diseases. If these poisons accumulate in the system, typhoid, biliousness, intermittent or chills, fever is sure to follow. Ayer's Sarsaparilla is a warranted specific for Malaria.

A New Yorker's Views.

Mr. Weed, a wealthy New York Democrat, prominent in both business and politics, a man who is credited with having been at the bottom of the notorious Burdard alliteration, was recently on a visit to Cerro Gordo, where he is interested in mining properties. On his return he entered into a conversation with a number of Nevadans and spoke freely and intelligently of the political situation in New York. He discussed the chances of Chauncey M. Depew as a Presidential candidate, and, in short, laid the political situation bare. With regard to Cleveland, he said that he would lose not less than 100,000 votes in New York State on account of his free-trade views, and that the working, farming and manufacturing population of New York was overwhelmingly in favor of protection and expending the Treasury surplus in general national improvements.

Reducing the Surplus.

The disposition of the Surplus in the U. S. Treasury engages the attention of our Statesmen, but a more vital question has our attention, and that is the reduction of the Surplus Consumptives. Since the discovery and introduction of Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, there has been a marked decrease in the mortality from this dreaded disease, and it is possible to still further reduce the number of Consumptives. How? By keeping constantly at hand a bottle of Dr. King's New Discovery and using according to directions, upon the appearance of the first symptoms, such as a Cough, a Cold, a Sore Throat, a Chest or Side Pain. Taken thus early a cure is guaranteed. Trial bottles free at Hodgkinson's Drug Store.

Public Buildings.

Through the push and pull of Senators Stewart and Jones Reno and Virginia City will probably have public buildings. A bill appropriating \$60,000 for Reno and \$25,000 for Virginia has passed the Senate. Should these measures receive a favorable consideration in the Lower House, the next question that will interest the citizens of this town will be the site. There will probably be a lively contest between those interested in the north and south sides of the railroad.

Reno for Rio Bonito.

Am willing to trade Rio Bonito lands in Butte county, California, for two or three town lots, or for a house and lot in Reno. It is believed that Rio Bonito property will increase in value 100 per cent within two years. There are no richer lands in the world than the Feather river bottom lands, good for oranges, lemons, peaches, apricots and about fruits without exception. This is an excellent opportunity for speculation, or to get a home in one of the best spots in California. Will be in Reno for a few days, and will be pleased to meet all those who wish to avail themselves of this opportunity.
C. S. Young.

Make No Mistake.

By dispelling the symptoms so often mistaken for consumption, SANTA ABIE has brought gladness to many a household. By its prompt use developing into that fatal disease, thousands can be saved from an untimely grave. You make no mistake by keeping a bottle of this pleasant remedy in your home. CALIFORNIA CAT-R-CURE is equally effective in eradicating all traces of Nasal Catarrh. Both of these wonderful California remedies are sold and warranted by Osburn & Shoemaker. \$1 a package, 3 for \$2.50.

Courts on Trains.

The Supreme Courts of California and New York have held that corporations and combinations of individuals have not the right to combine for the purpose of limiting the production and thereby increasing the price of any article on the ground that such organizations are against public policy.

Fryer's Abietene Ointment—A combination of the Gum Abietene, Vaseline and other Therapeutic Agents. The best healing and purifying remedy in the world for Piles, Old Sores, Ulcers and all Eruptions of the Skin. Price, 25 cents Sold by W. Pinner, Abie. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

The New Grass.

Some time ago Dr. Bishop received some seed of a German grass known as aspercut from Dr. Bergman and planted it. It is now about two inches high and looking well. The indications are that it is adapted to the soil and climate of Nevada.

Cure for Sick Headache.

Go to J. J. Hodgkinson & Co., the drug dealer, and get a free sample of Dr. Gunn's Liver Pills. Will cure Sick Headache, the Colic, Biliousness, Indigestion, Salter's Complexion or Pimples on the face. Only one for a dose. 25 cents a box.

Card of Thanks.

At a meeting of Monumental Engine Co. No. 2, held last evening, a resolution was unanimously passed thanking the young ladies members of the Calico ball for their kind donation of \$20.
LISLE JAMISON, Foreman.
LOUIS COHN, Secretary.

Fryer's Abietene Cough Balm—A combination of the Gum Abietene, Yucca and E. Oleo, is guaranteed to cure Coughs, Colds and all Lung Diseases. It contains no Opium. Price, 75 cents Sold by W. Pinner. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

Go to Rest.

Frank Hinkox, a stevedore of C. Moeller, after a long illness died this afternoon. He was an excellent young man. He has been a sufferer to a greater or less degree for years. His ailment culminated in dropsy, which was the cause of his early demise.

To-morrow Night's Ball.

Monumental Engine Company No. 2 will give a ball to-morrow evening. The fire ladders have commenced work in good shape and should receive a most liberal patronage from the citizens.

In chronic diseases, medicines should be reducing and not debilitating. In their action. The wonderful strength and curative effects, realized from the use of Fryer's Sarsaparilla, make the conviction of this remedy as the most popular blood purifier.

HOTEL ARRIVALS.

DEPOT HOTEL—C. G. Hansen and wife, J. F. Warner, Reno; F. Bosko, C. J. Bosko; H. Alkan, Mrs. Knowles, A. Frank, E. J. Ensign, G. H. Mastick, J. Neale, San Francisco; Mrs. McEwen and child, Mrs. McClure W. S. Bailey, A. Barnes, Virginia City; W. H. A. Pike, J. Springer, Stillwater; J. H. Walsted, Wadsworth; J. H. McIlwain, St. Louis; L. Nuburg, M. Shill, Sacramento; J. L. Dickson, St. Helena; N. W. Derby, Winnemucca.
PALACE HOTEL—E. F. Doolittle and wife, Wadsworth; Mrs. J. Sullivan, Truckee; A. F. Brown, San Francisco; C. Legrave, Chicago; H. Selgel, Atlanta; T. W. Peck, Indiana; Wm. Ball, W. W. Sweeney, Long valley; L. D. Baker, Greenville; John McWright, Idaho; J. W. Johnson, Sacramento; T. Leible, J. J. Smith, San Diego.

They Will Celebrate.

The *Truckee Republican* of the 6th instant says: The sentiment of celebrating the Fourth of July in Truckee seems to be unanimous among the citizens and everyone who has been spoken to in regard to it has signified a willingness to subscribe liberally. There is no reason why Truckee cannot raise a good-sized fund and have a big time on that day. Nothing is ever lost by having a celebration, for all the money expended for that purpose goes into the pockets of citizens, and gets into circulation. Besides, many persons come here from the surrounding country, and everyone makes a little. There now remains only four weeks during which to get up a celebration, and the work ahead of them is not a light one. At the request of many citizens we announce that there will be a citizens' meeting at Hurd's hall to-morrow (Thursday) night at 8 o'clock, when steps will be taken looking towards the appropriate celebration of the Glorious Fourth. Let everybody attend.

"It Makes Me Tired"

to read all these advertisements of medicines upon medicines—when they enumerate with such particularity and minuteness of detail, all the diseases mankind, womankind and even "babykind" are heir to. "How cheap one feels to commence what she supposes to be a tragic or tender love-story, read until her sympathies are so aroused that she can scarcely sleep without knowing whether she is married or not, and then have it end something like this: "Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription is the only positive cure for all classes of female weakness," such as, inflammation, periodical pains, etc. For sale by all druggists."

Dr. Pierce's Pellets are Laxative or Cathartic according to size of dose.

Unrepealed Laws.

Among the unrepealed acts of Parliament in England stand the following gems:

Persons tending to use witchcraft, by a law enacted under George II. are punishable by imprisonment. Those practicing palmistry are to be treated as vagabonds and punished accordingly. By a law enacted in the time of Charles I. meetings of people outside their own parishes, on Sunday for any sports or pastimes whatever, are prohibited under a fine of three shillings and three pence to the public stocks. Any person disbelieving the doctrines of the Established Church, and refusing to have his children baptized, or to partake of the communion, may, by a law of Queen Elizabeth, be committed to prison.

A Scientific Tailor Coming.

Anderson & Johnson the well known tailors of Sacramento are too well known to the readers of the GAZETTE to need any extensive mention in these columns. Their work speaks for itself, and hundreds of customers in Nevada can testify to the uniform excellence of the clothing turned out from their establishment. The senior partner of the firm will arrive in Reno on or about the 14th instant with a full line of samples for summer suits of the latest styles and finest quality. All in need of clothing should reserve their orders, as the firm of Anderson & Johnson guarantees a perfect fit and satisfaction. Wait for Anderson. June 6-11

A Bohemian's Effort.

Dr. J. C. Ayer & Co., of Lowell, recently received a business letter from a Bohemian resident of Minnesota. His terrific struggles with the English language are almost pathetic. Conscious of his shortcomings, he supplements his efforts by a letter written in his own language. Between the two, the wants of the correspondent are easily determined. A book upon botanical medicine is what he "too much like wish get."

"Dear Gentlemen, ask you if should be sent me good herbs, Beek, and if me ber send so I you pay for her what be send, and post I will pay, so you yet ask if should me send her, or I should her too much like wish get."

Pneumonia can be quickly and permanently cured by adding the Powder to be found with each bottle of Fryer's true Abietene Cough Balm. Price, 75 cents. Sold by W. Pinner. All genuine Abietene preparations bear the fac-simile signature of D. F. Fryer.

Lecture To-morrow Evening.

Capt. H. S. Hill, of New York, one of the National Temperance lecturers, is in town, and will favor the citizens of Reno with one of his celebrated lectures in the Baptist Church to-morrow evening. Our town is seldom favored with the presence of orators of such world-wide reputation as Capt. Hill bears. Do not forget the hour—8 P. M.

A Police Reform.

Governor Hill of New York has signed the bill providing for police matrons. Henceforward female prisoners must be sent to a station designed for the purpose, where a matron will be on duty. It would be well for other States to follow in the footsteps of New York in this respect.

Backache, stitches in the side, indigestion and soreness of the bowels, are symptoms of a disordered state of the digestive and assimilative organs. The liver is congested by the use of Ayer's Cathartic Pills.

BREVITIES.

Local and General Intelligence
Price Emrich's new carpets.
The Police Court is healthily quiet.
J. D. Terreyson, District Attorney of Ormsby county, is in town.
Judge Bigelow returned from Churchill county last night.
J. M. Jaquish left for the north with a load of freight this afternoon.

There are now one hundred and sixty-four inmates in the Asylum.
J. B. Bloor of the GAZETTE started on an extended northern trip to-day.
W. S. Bailey of Churchill county was in Reno last night and returned home to-day.

Col. E. D. Boyle passed west last night en route to Auburn to look after some mining interests.

The Virginia Chronicle complains bitterly about the present management of the telegraph office.

The members of Co. C are now required to drill on Monday and Thursday evenings of each week.

Herman Bergman of the Commercial Row clothing store has removed his stock of goods to Carson.

Alex. Wise, the old pioneer of Winnemucca, came in on night's west-bound train and continued on to the Bay.

An elegant assortment of ladies' white and colored embroidered pattern suits have just been received at Emrich's.

H. B. Tannan from Colusa, California is in town purchasing cavalry horses, which he will deliver at Los Angeles.

Ex-Governor Adams is making his home in Nye county this summer and is presently looking after his large cattle interests.

The Grand Encampment of the I. O. O. F. will meet here on the 18th instant, and the Grand Lodge will convene on the following day.

Dr. R. Webber, an old time Comstocker is battling with an extremely critical case of pneumonia. Hopes are entertained of his recovery.

And now the rumor comes from Chicago that David Swing, the popular preacher, is contemplating giving up the pulpit for the stage.

Miss Emma Dean has returned from Petaluma, California, where she has spent several months, and is now entertaining her cousin, Miss Bertha Blum.

C. B. Wiseman, Clerk of Elko county, resigned, and as yet the Commissioners have failed to appoint a successor, hence the county is without a clerk.

A portion of the laws passed at the last session of the Utah Legislature are claimed to have been illegally passed and the Supreme Court is asked to decide the question.

Manager Shearer, in company with the Utah Telephone Company, has telegraphed to Virginia City and repaired that part of the line that had been blown down yesterday.

E. P. Butler, the photographer, departed for Tuscarora last evening on a promotional trip. He will be absent for some months, during which time P. H. Thomson will be in charge of the business here.

N. Messier of Cedarville is in town. He has a lot of set cattle which he will ship during the next few days. Mr. Messier reports the season very backward in his section of country and feed dry and scarce.

R. L. Fulton returned from Sierra Valley last night. He reports the prospect for a hay crop in that region exceedingly poor, especially in the northern part of the valley. Notwithstanding the dry season the people are pushing the main line of bearing wells with continued success.

The Carson Tribune of yesterday is responsible for the following: "Nashby" of Reno, and formerly of Carson, is 75 years of age to-day, although he does not seem as old. Nashby is a handsome man and looked on as an adonis by the ladies of Reno. The Tribune wishes its old friend many happy returns of the day.

A Church at Wadsworth.

Over six hundred dollars have been subscribed for a new Union church at Wadsworth. The lumber is on the ground and work on the building will soon begin. As the town is composed almost entirely of railroad men, perhaps it may convince some of the good christian exponents of the gospel specialty who are always preaching about their ungodliness, that the railroad boys are not as bad as they paint them.

Fencing Government Lands.

United States Marshal Kelly, on his recent trip to Eureka county, arrested three men, Robert Bailey, and Nelson and Andrew Tufts, for fencing the public domain. The alleged offenders were examined at Eureka, and the Tufts were discharged, it having been shown that they were innocent, and Bailey was held to answer before the United States Court at Carson with bail fixed at \$2,000.

Coughs and Hoarseness—The irritation which induces immediately relieved by use of "Brown's Bronchial Troches." Sold only in boxes.

Try the Experiment.

An exchange says: A cow that has been made to raise a calf is seldom as good as it was previous to being allowed to keep the calf, as it becomes addicted to vices, among them that of "holding up" the milk. The calf should be removed from the dam as early as possible and taught to drink from a pail or some artificial contrivance.

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Co. C. Attention!

You are hereby commanded to appear at your armory this (Thursday) evening, June 7, 1888, in full uniform, for drill.
R. H. LINDSAY,
Captain Commanding.

C. A. Thurston has on hand bibles, prayer books and hymnals, lady's card cases, lady's long purses, birthday books, eye glasses, cutlery, etc.

If you want a nice mercurium or amber cigar holder, cigarette holder, mercurium holders, or in fact anything in the smokers' line, call at Thurston's.

Truckee Items.

Early peaches have appeared in the market.

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This is a good scheme as our mills will be able to dispose of much refuse lumber which would otherwise be wasted. Two men will be employed at the establishment during the summer.

The Ohio Teachers.

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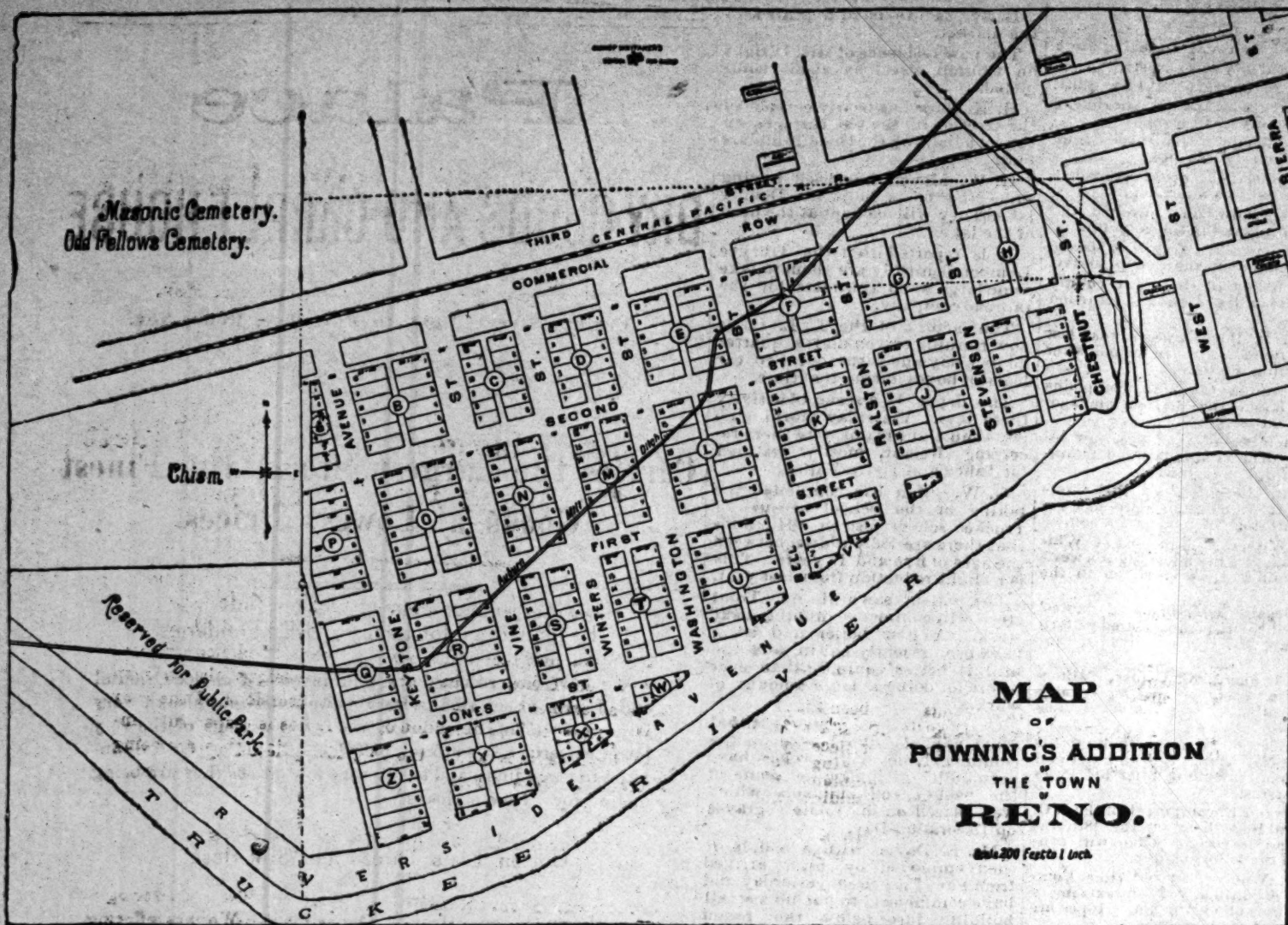
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Before buying elsewhere, Parties will do well to look at these Lots.

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The value of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, in the protection it affords from the dangers of pulmonary disorders, cannot be overestimated. Mr. C. K. Phillips, Pittsburg, Pa., writes: "About three years ago I had severe Laryngitis, which resulted in chronic hoarseness. By the use of Ayer's Cherry Pectoral I have since entirely regained my health." Mr. Henry Russell, Excelsior Printing Co., New York, writes: "Influenza became epidemic in my neighborhood. Several members of my family suffered severely with it, all of whom took Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, and were cured by it in a few days. It is a wonderful medicine for Influenza. Too much cannot be said in its favor."

E. M. Sargent, 41 Andover st., Lowell, Mass., says: "I commenced using Ayer's Cherry Pectoral about the year 1842, as a family medicine, for Coughs and Colds, and have always kept it in my house since that time. I consider it the best remedy that can be had for these complaints." Dr. J. B. Robertson, Clayton, N. C., writes: "I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral, in my family and practice, for a number of years, and have no hesitation in recommending it. It is an admirable preparation, and well-qualified to do all that is claimed for it." E. J. Stiers, Germantown, N. C., writes: "Ayer's Cherry Pectoral is the best Cough preparation I ever saw. It gives instant relief."

Ayer's Cherry Pectoral

has cured a Cough in a few doses. It always relieves irritation of the lungs or throat, and arrests the tendency to inflammation. It strikes at the foundation of all Pulmonary diseases, is without a rival as an expectorant, and is a sure cure for the most obstinate Coughs and Colds. L. Garrett, Texana, Texas, writes: "I have used Ayer's Cherry Pectoral in my family for twenty years. For throat and lung diseases, I consider it a wonderful remedy."

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LITTLE PEOPLE.

The Latest Information Regarding the Pigmies of Africa.

A lecture was given recently at the Royal Institution, London, by Professor Flower, C. B., F. R. S., the Director of the Natural History Departments of the British Museum, on "The Pigmies of Africa."

Various classical authors—Homer, Herodotus, Aristotle, Ctesias, Pliny and others were cited to show the wide-spread belief in the existence of races of human beings of exceedingly diminutive stature, and to which the name of Pigmy was given.

Extension of knowledge of the natural products of the earth and a more critical spirit on the part of authors led to attempts to explain this belief, and the discovery of races of monkeys, of the doings of which more or less fabulous stories were often reported by travelers, generally sufficed the commentators and naturalists of the last century for this purpose. Recently acquired information as to the actual condition of the human population of the globe has, however, led to a revision of the ideas upon the subject, and M. de Quatrefages, the eminent professor of anthropology at Paris, has especially carefully examined and collated all the evidence bearing upon the question, and devoted much ingenuity to prove that the two localities in which the ancient authors appear to place their Pigmies, the interior of Africa and the southernmost parts of Asia, and the characters they assign to them indicate an actual knowledge of the existence of the two groups of small people who still inhabit those regions, and whose history formed the subject of the lecture.

The Andaman Islands in the Indian Ocean are inhabited by a race of great interest to the anthropologist. The inhabitants do not cultivate the ground nor keep any domestic animals, but they have a rude kind of hand-made pottery, and make vessels for holding water out of the hollow stems of bamboo; they also make excellent fishing nets and baskets. They are perfect swimmers and divers and expert at managing canoes. Their principal weapon is the bow and arrow, but they also use spears, harpoons, etc. They have no metals, and appear not to know how to produce fire, though they always preserve it carefully as they rarely eat any food which is not cooked. They live chiefly on wild pigs, birds, turtles, fish, wild fruits, roots and seeds, larvae of insects, and honey, and drink nothing but water.

One of the most distinctive physical features of the Andamanese is their diminutive size. Accurate measurements of a large number have been made, showing that the average height of the men is 4 ft. 6 in., that of the women 4 ft. 6 in. The color of their skin is dark, almost black, their hair is exceedingly closely curled or "woolly," and their heads are of the short round type. The great interest of the Andamanese natives is that they are the only remaining pure specimens of a race of small stature, dark color, and frizzly hair which appear to be the earliest inhabitants of a large part of Southern Asia, including India, Siam, Cochin China, and all the islands of the Indo-Malayan Archipelago—a race to which the name of Negrito has been given.

Passing to the continent of Africa, we find in the southernmost parts well-known Bosjesmen, or Bushmen, exhibiting a very peculiar modification of the Negro type. Their average height is very much the same as that of the Andamanese, and they have the same very curly hair, but in many other respects they are widely different.

Separated from them, both geographically and in physical characters, are a peculiar race of very little people called by Hamy Negritos, who are found living in scattered communities among those of the ordinary full-sized Negroes nearly all across the continent of Africa, within a few degrees of either side of the Equator. Unless these were the real Pygmies of the Greeks, our first knowledge of them is due to Andrew Buxton, in his interesting and apparently truthful description of the Loango coast, written in the end of the 18th century. His accounts were corroborated by Du Chailly, Stanley and others. To this group of people belong the Akkas, who live a short distance to the right of Lake Albert Nyanza, discovered by Schweinfurth in 1870, and more recently investigated by Emin Pasha, from whose letters some extracts were read by the lecturer. These appeared to be really the smallest race known, full-grown men and women being often not more than 4 ft. high.

Though so small in stature they are active and courageous, great hunters of elephants, and use the bow and arrows with the same dexterity as their cousins, the Negritos of Asia. It is surprising that they have contrived to maintain their independent existence, though probably in gradually diminishing numbers, in the midst of powerful tribes of larger stature; for all the existing evidence points to their being the descendants of the earliest inhabitants of the continent of which we have any knowledge.

Our information about them is, however, at present very scanty, and a fuller investigation into their characters, habits, customs, traditions, and language would well repay the labor spent upon it.

A True Lover.

There's a pretty little up-down, a girl, who has a boy coming. They are much of an age and they are very fond of each other.

The girl was taken sick a few days ago with the measles. The boy was wildly excited and he went to his mother.

"Please, mamma, Elsie has the measles. I want the measles too."

"What? No, dear."

Then the boy began to cry, and would not be comforted until his mother promised if he was a good boy he should have the measles, and he has been so good, and he has built so much upon having the measles, that they are afraid he'll lose all faith in his mother if they don't let him have them.—San Francisco Chronicle.

Correctly Voiced.

Pretty School Teacher—"James, is 'to kiss' an active or passive verb?"
James (oldest boy in the class)—"Both."
Pretty School Teacher—"How is that, James?"
James—"Active on the part of the feller and passive on the part of the girl."
Pretty school teacher blushes and marks James "perfect" in grammar.—Washington Critic.

Graceful Arrangement of the Hair.

One of the most beautiful heads of antiquity is that of Cleopatra, which is simply one of female perfection in every respect, and which has the forehead quite low, with the hair divided evenly over the center and falling away cascades and backward in artistic waves. There is a similar arrangement in Munich, excepting the few descending tresses, waving in the letter.

PERILS OF PRACTICAL JOKING.

Instances Cited of Dire Mischief Wrought by This Folly.

The practical joker makes himself simply a nuisance in society.

One of the most common "small" tricks is to pull a chair out from a person as he is about to sit down. A practical joker recently tried this on a man in Brooklyn, who fell, cut his hand in falling, and died from lockjaw.

Some years ago a couple of fellows thought it would be funny to frighten a young lady who had never been known to feel fright at anything. One of the men was her brother, the other was her expected husband and a medical student. They obtained a skeleton, placed it in the young lady's bed in the evening, and then awaited results. It gave her such a fearful fright that she remained transfixed and speechless, glaring wildly on the starting object. Her reason fled on the instant, and she remained a maniac. As the story goes the brother committed suicide and the lover was taken to a lunatic asylum, where he will end his days.

Another instance of a different result, happened in San Francisco.

A young man, to frighten two of his lady friends who were alone and at home one evening, dressed up as a ghost and made mysterious noises about the house. The girls took him for a burglar and not a ghost, and ran to a neighbor for help. The latter seized the practical joker and dealt a blow that cracked the ghost's skull, and now the doctors are trying to prevent his becoming a ghost in reality.

This was a pretty severe object lesson, but it should help to teach practical jokers common sense. A sudden fright is a pretty severe tax on the nervous system of any sensitive person, and it will be a step in the right direction when all practical jokes and jokers are as relentlessly punished as pickpockets or burglars.—Burlington Free Press.

The Pathos of Life.

Coming down town this morning in an East car a pathetic scene occurred.

A lady with a little child got on the car near the Pension Bureau. The little one was probably four years of age, with bright blue eyes, and its blonde hair hung in profusion down its back. It was altogether as charming a little sprite as any of the passengers had ever seen.

It seemed to attract the attention of a very gentlemanly-looking man of about forty years of age sitting on the opposite side of the car. The little one had been standing at its mother's knee, and noticing this gentleman, finally went across the aisle and looked up into his face. He picked the child up gently and entered into conversation with it, the baby replying to his queries and asking questions in its baby way.

Finally the gentleman, in a voice choked with emotion, asked:

"Do you know I had a dear little girl like you?"

"Haven't you got her now?" queried baby.

"No, dear," he replied. "I received a message last night saying my dear little girl had died yesterday morning, away out in California, and I will never see her again."

His eyes filled with tears, and, rising from his seat, he kissed the child, handed it back to its mother and got off the car.

He was evidently unable to restrain his grief, as he was seen to put his handkerchief to his eyes as he walked down the street.—Washington Critic.

From a Good Man's Will.

The following clause in the will of a Lowell gentleman, which he wrote himself, illustrates by its simple trustfulness in human nature the purity of the man himself.

"I don't know how the property will hold out and what may happen, but I leave it to M. and J. to do as they think best in making some little donation to D. and G. My gold-headed cane I promise to J. if he behaved himself, and I trust to them to make my promise good."—Augusta (Me.) Journal.

Vells of Hebrew Women.

Among the Hebrew ladies vells were considered of great importance; no respectable woman was without them. But women were not then as closely veiled as they are at present in the East.

There were several kinds of vells. There was one like a light mantle, which was worn in the way our ladies wear a fichu, and, to mention only one other kind, there was a veil fixed to the covering of the head, which fell on to the brow and then was turned backward, while another veil fixed under the eyes was let down to cover the breast.

Barnacle.

A Richland Township scholar recently defined the word "barnacle" as "a tramp who sleeps in a barn."—Pittsburg Chronicle Telegraph.

You never see an undertaker's advertisement headed "Live man wanted to fill vacancy."

Puzzling the Horse Editor.

"Are you the horse editor?" inquired an innocent looking woman, approaching the desk of that functionary.

"I have that pleasure, Miss," he replied, taking off his hat.

"Can you answer all sorts of questions about horses?"

"Well, I rather think I can," he said, with a prideful swell in his bosom.

"Oh, I'm so glad," she twittered. "Will you tell me the difference between a bay horse and a sea horse?"

As she went out of the office she smiled back at him, but he sat gloomily at his desk and said nothing.—Washington Critic.

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Ann Dinah—"Ef I wa' yo', Pomp, I'd try to get a job of white washin'."

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Aunt Dinah—"Den all I've got ter say, Mister Pompey, is dat I's mighty lucky dat I owns a wash tub."—Puck.

So Convenient.

Husband (in the early morning)—"What are you going through my pockets for, my dear?"

Wife—"A little change, John."

Husband—"Have you no money of your own?"

Yes—"Yes; but it is so much easier to find a man's pocket, John, than a woman's."—Harper's Bazar.

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